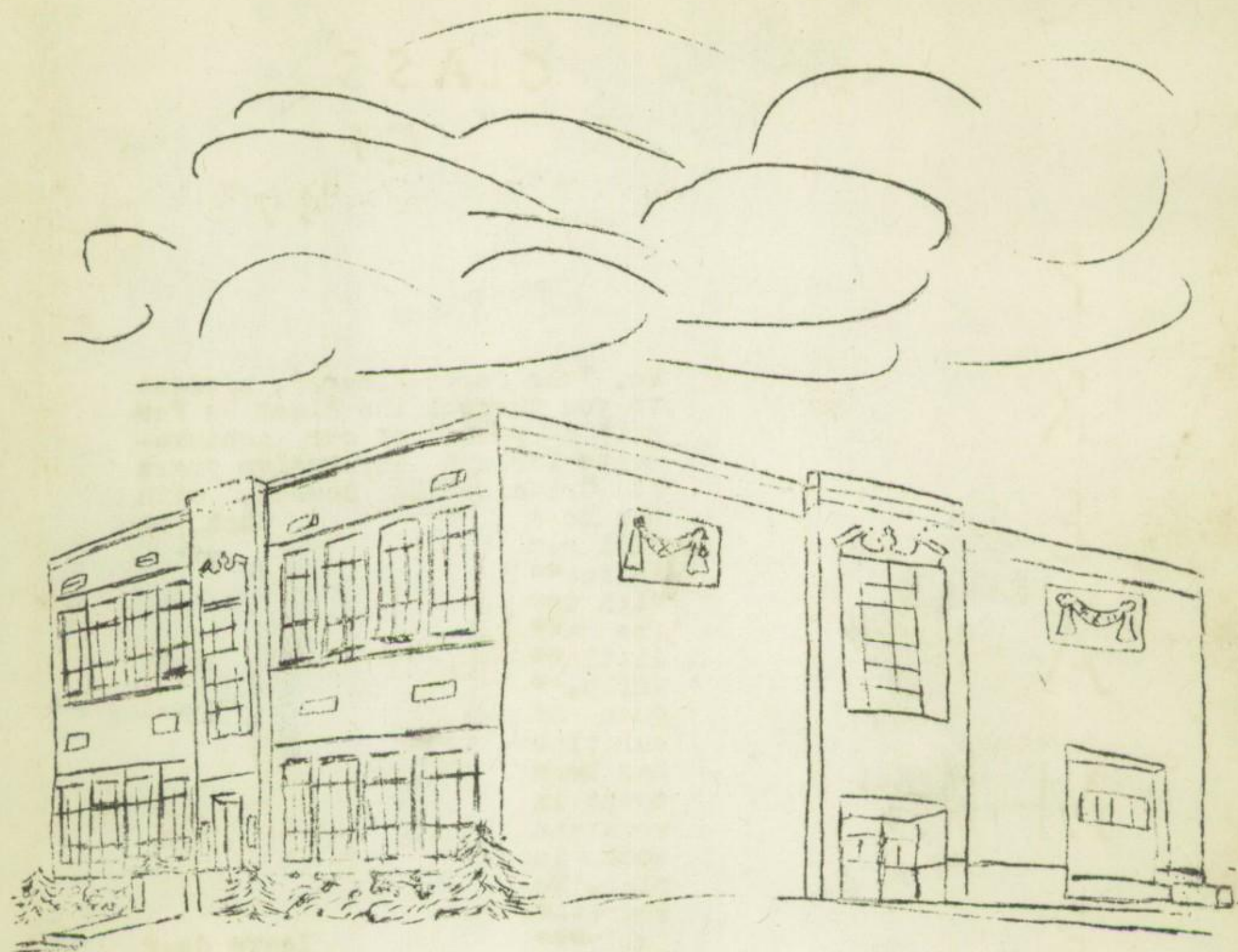




1949

LESLIE W. FERGUSON

Richard Rice



CRIDERSVILLE
SCHOOL

CLASS

OF

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We, "the Forty-Niners", present
to you through the "Lest We For-
get" a record of our achieve-
ments through our twelve years
at Cridersville School, with
the hope that you
will rem-
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with us*
for a**
little**
while.**
Some of
our time
has been
spent in
work and
some in
play. We
regret-#
fully*** leave dear
old Cridersville High with a
wealth of memories to help us
over the rough spots ahead,
for, as our class motto says,
"Our Care Is For The Future."

DEDICATION

We, the 49'ers, realizing that without the help and guidance of Mrs. Dorothy Duplar we could not have hoped to accomplish all that we have throughout our senior year, do hereby dedicate our edition of the "Lest We Forget" to her. We also wish to express our gratitude and appreciation to the rest of the Faculty for their sincere understanding and cooperation.



ANNUAL STAFF

Business Manager---Morris Koch

Advisor---Mrs. Dorothy Dupler

Art Editor---LeRoy Blackburn

Ass't. Editor---Ginny Lowry

Editor---Janie Shaw

Mimeograph Operator---Kenny Lowry

Athough the above constitutes the staff, the work on this book was done not only by the staff but by the entire senior class.

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Vice President



JOE LOWRY
President



MILO FOX
Clerk



ALBERT ROHRBACHER

*Board
Of
Education*



ALBERT LOWRY

IN APPRECIATION

We wish to express our appreciation to these five gentlemen who have given of their time and effort to make our school a better institution of learning.

The board of education has a much bigger task on their hands than most people realize. At times it seems to be a thankless job as so many of the important tasks in our busy world of today are.

For your efforts in our behalf, we the class of forty-nine wish to say, "Thank-you".

Faculty: We, the 49'er's wish to
express our sincere thanks and
help the faculty has shown us dur
ing our past twelve years.

H I G H S C H O O L F A C U L T Y





DOROTHY S. DUPLER
Principal

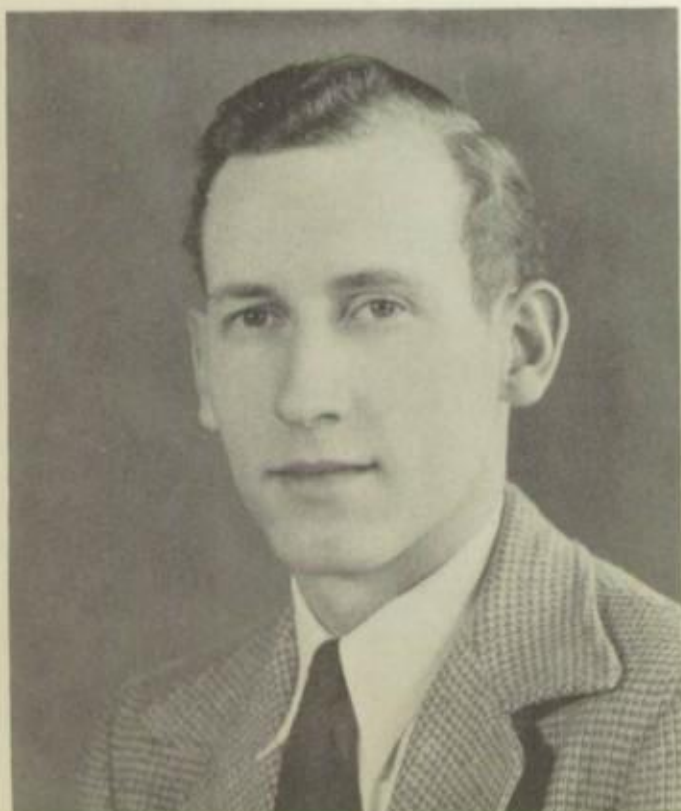
Our Faculty



EUGENE BASINGER



JAMES K. VOGELGESANG
Superintendent



ROBERT W. CRITES



ADA ALDRICH

HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY DIRECTORY

Mrs. Dorothy Schultz Dupler
Born at New Galilee, Penn.
Bachelor of Arts degree from
Baldwin Wallace College.
Major--Math
Minors--French, English, His-
tory, Music, Social Science.
Teaches--Music, Math, Latin,
Home Economics.
Years at Cridersville--1929-32
1940-49

Mr. Eugene Basinger
Born at Bluffton, Ohio
Bachelor of Arts from Bluf-
fton College
Major--Social Science, His-
tory, and English.
Teaches--English, Reading,
Social Science.
Years at Cridersville--1946-
-49.

Mr. James K. Vogelgesang
Born at Lima, Ohio
Bachelor of art in Education
from Bluffton College
Major--Biology and Science
Minors--Social Science and
Physical Education
Teaches--Biology and American
History
Years at Cridersville--part of
1948-49

Mr. Robert W. Crites
Born at Tiffin, Ohio
Bachelor of Science at Bluf-
fton College.
Major--Physical Science and
History
Minors--Physical Ed. and
Social Science
Teaches--World History, Gen-
eral Science, Chemistry,
and Physics.
Years at Cridersville--1945-
-49.

Mrs. Ada Alarich
Born at Burlington, Wis.
Bachelor of Education at
Whitewater State Teachers
College, Whitewater, Wis.
Major--Commercial,
Minors--English, Social Stu-
dies
Teaches--English, Arith 7 &
8, Commercial, Consumers
Economics.
Years at Cridersville--1948-
-49.

CLASS

HISTORY

As I am sitting here in Study Hall looking around and day-dreaming, I suddenly realize that we have only ten weeks of school here in "good ole' Cridersville High" and my thoughts rush back to 1937 when twenty-five frightened and bashful pupils entered the first grade at Cridersville.

Upon entering the first grade, Miss Ritchie, now Mrs. Russell Reichelderfer was our teacher. We can all remember the picnics we had on the ball diamond, but above that she taught us so well we were ready to enter the second grade in 1938.

We were all well acquainted with the school by now, and the advancement to a higher grade make us feel good. In the second grade we had a new teacher, Miss Hall, who now is Mrs. Darrell Lee, who must have had a considerable amount of patience to handle all of us.

Entering the third grade was even more fun, and here we thought we were really something, for it is the year we entered our new and present school. Miss Hall was still our teacher for our third and fourth grades. The fourth was beginning to get a little more difficult, but with her help, we had progressed enough for the fifth.

With Mrs. Wauben as our fifth grade teacher, we had a lot of fun, and also gained a new classmate, Mabel Klausing. In the sixth, with Mrs. Wauben still as our teacher, she taught us more and more difficult things, getting us ready for "Junior High". Pat Reilly from Lima, and Dick Etzkorn from Landeck enrolled, making our class a more jolly one.

Now the time has come that we have been waiting for, for six whole years. That's right, to get to be on the second floor of the building. We thought it was wonderful to exchange classes and have different teachers. Miss Gillam was our advisor in the seventh grade.

Then, into the eighth grade we passed, with Mrs. Corderman as our teacher, and now after this year we would graduate from Junior High and enter our first year in High School.

Green Freshman—what a class that was. We certainly got our initiation into High School, and were waiting for our chance to do the same. High School was more fun, for now we could attend the High School activities. Now that we are Seniors and look back, our Freshman class was a mixture of everything and a lot of fun. We had our first home room this year. Being all to ourselves made us feel like we were more matured.

CLASS HISTORY (CONT'D.)

Now entering the Sophomore year, we really felt proud of ourselves when we produced "Where's Grandma", our first class play, under the direction of our home room teacher, Mr. Robert Crites, which turned out very successfully. Dale Crawford entered; he helped to make our play a success.

Our Junior year, advised by Mr. Eugene Basinger, was another year of many memorable activities—the planning of the Junior-Senior Prom, election of different officers, and choosing of class motto and flower. We had two entries in our class, Betty Wheeler from Shawnee, and Angela Owens from Forest, who both became permanent classmates. Our class play "The Actors Have Come", directed by Mr. William J. Mahoney, was enjoyed by the cast and the audience.

After reminiscing about our eleven years of schooling, I came back to our present year with all the students who have gone the whole way: LeRoy Blackburn, Dottie Freymuth, Mose Koch, Kenny Lowry, Ginny Lowry, Carolyn Miller, Janie Shaw, Charlie Stevens, Opal Thompson, Dick Williams, and Susie Wolfe, and those who entered along the way: Mabel Klausing, Dick Etzkorn, Pat Reilly, Betty Wheeler, and Angela Owens. Mrs. Dorothy Dupler, our home room teacher who has helped us so much in class projects, directed our class play "Almost Eighteen." It was typical of every young crooner's dreams. We all soon will be leaving school, and seeking different occupations in the big and troubled world. We are all looking forward to this day, some with anxiety and some with a little sadness, and we wish all of our classmates that are behind us, the "Best of Luck" at Cridersville High.

Susie Wolfe

AUTOGRAPHS

SENIOR-----FACULTY

James K. Vogelgesang
Dorothy S. Chipder

Robert W. Cites

Mildred Hager

Ada Aldrich

Eugene Basinger

Mose Koch
"49"

Ernie Sawyer
Sr.

"Bat" Kelly
Sr. 48-49

Walter Frymuth
49'er

Opal Thompson
Sr.

Betty Wheeler
49'er

"Chuck" Stevens
Sr. 49

Mabel Klasing
49'er

Janie Shaw
49'er

Dick Esthorn
Sr.

June Wolfe
49'er

Carolyn Miller
49'er

Martha Reichelderfer

Marie Vandivier

Ida Burden

Gladys Truesdale

Le Roy

Blackburn
49'er

Clark Williams
49'er

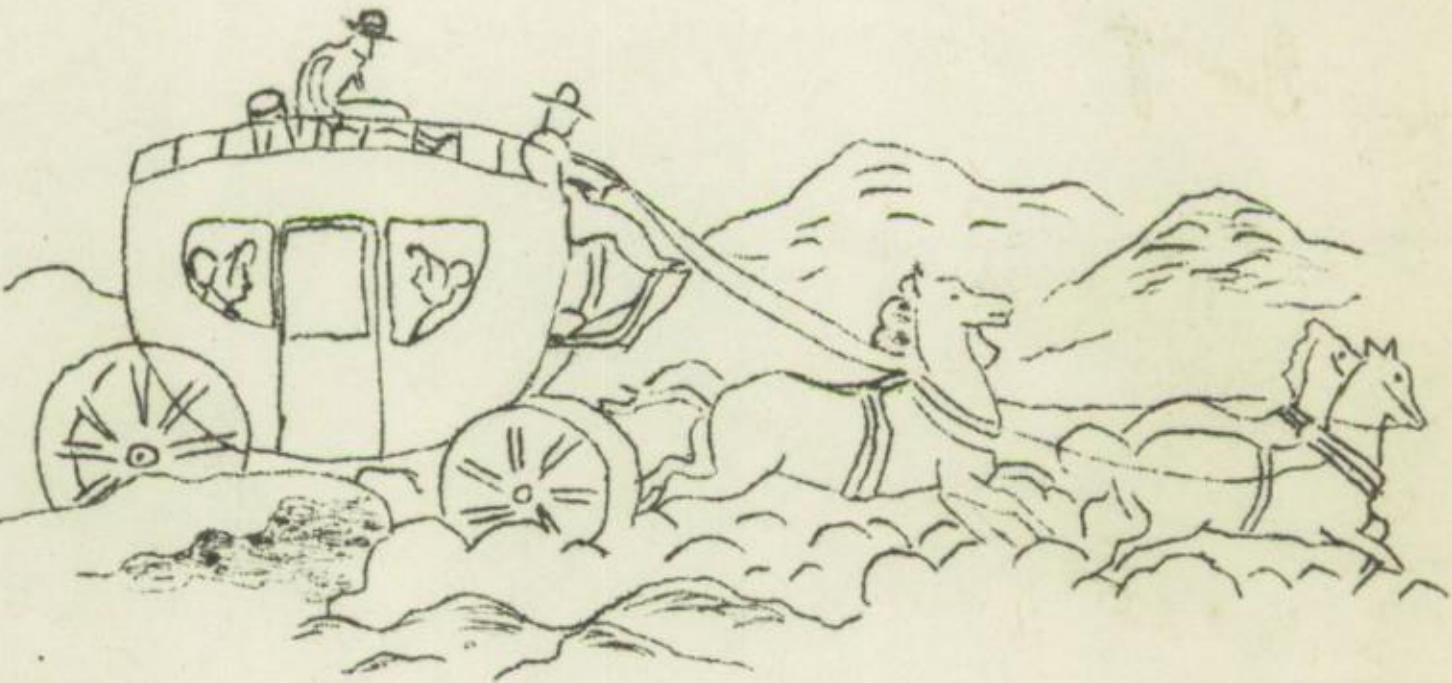
Kenneth Lowry
49'er

Dale Crawford
49'er

Senior: With the effort and struggle put forth by the students and teachers we have now attained our goal, as Seniors.

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BETTY JANE WHEELER
Secretary and Treasurer



PATRICK C. REILLY
President



RICHARD L. WILLIAMS
Vice President

Seniors 1949



MORRIS L. KOCH
Student Council



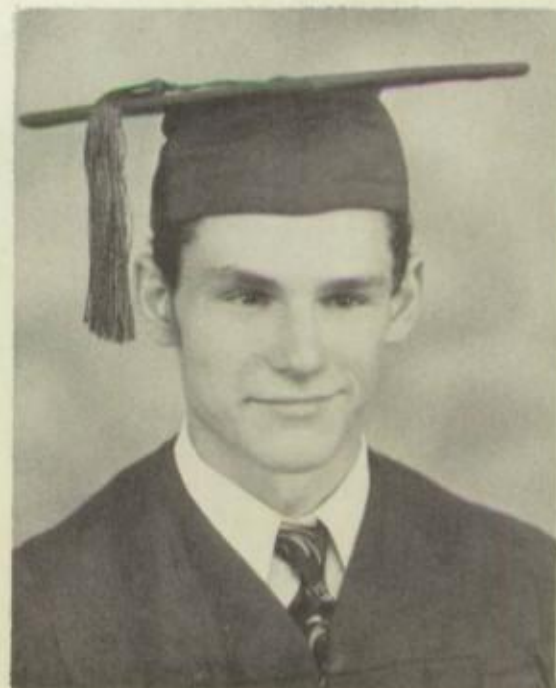
HULDAH JANE SHAW



ANGELA MARIE OWENS



DOROTHY JEAN FREYMUTH



CHARLES J. STEVENS

SENIOR DIRECTORY

Betty Wheeler
Shawnee 1-2
Class Officer:
Sec. & Treas. 4
B.H.A. 3-4
Class Play:
Almost Eighteen 4

Pat Reilly
Music 1-2-3-4
Minstrel 4
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Letter C. Assoc. 3
Class Officer:
Pres. 2-3-4
Class Plays:
Stage Mgr. 2-3

Dick Williams
Music 1-2-3-4
Minstrel 4
Basketball Mgr. 1
Basketball 2-3-4
Baseball 2-3-4
Letter C. Assoc. 3
Student Council:
V. Pres. 1-2-3
Class Officer:
V. Pres. 4
Class Plays:
Where's Grandma 2
The Actors Have
Come 3
Dust of the Earth 3
Almost Eighteen 4

Mose Koch
Music 1-2
Minstrel 4
Letter C. Assoc.:
V. Pres. 3
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Ass't. Bys. Mgr. Echo 3
Bys. Mgr. for Echo 4
Bus. Mgr. for Annual 4
Student Council:
Pres. 4
Class Plays:
Where's Grandma 2
The Actors Have Come 3
Almost Eighteen 4

Janie Shaw
Music 1-2-3-4
Minstrel 4
B.H.A. 2
Annual Editor 4
Class Plays:
Where's Grandma 2
The Actors Have
Come 3
Almost Eighteen 4

Angela Owens
Forest Jackson 1-2
Music 3-4
B.H.A. 4
Minstrel 4
Class Plays:
Advertiser 3
Almost Eighteen 4

Dottie Freymuth
SALUTATORIAN 4
Music 1-2-4
Minstrel 4
Class Reporter 1-2-3-4
Class Officer:
Pres. 1
School Sec. & Treas. 4
Girls Basketball 2
Cheerleader 2
Class Plays:
Where's Grandma 2
The Actors Have Come 3
Almost Eighteen 4

Charlie Stevens
Music 1-2-3-4
Minstrel 4
Letter C. Assoc. 3
Basketball 1-2-3
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MABEL FRANCES KLAUSING



HOWARD DALE CRAWFORD



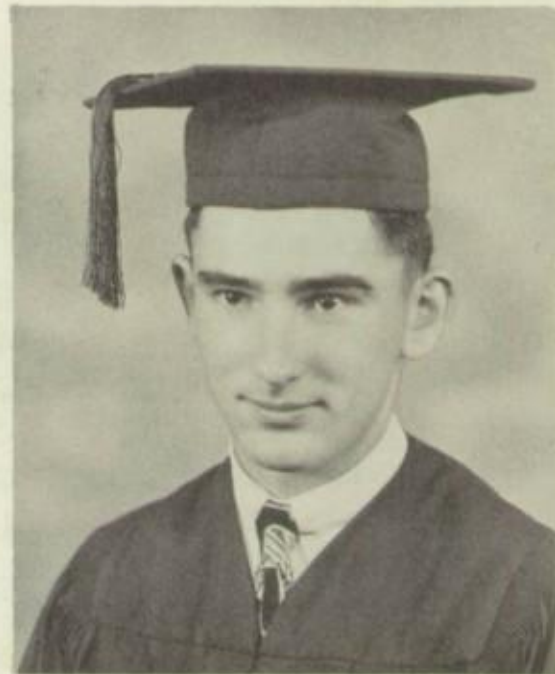
OPAL EILEEN THOMPSON



LEROY BLACKBURN



MARY JEANNE WOLFE



RICHARD L. ETZKORN



VIRGINIA LEE LOWRY



KENNETH W. LOWRY



CAROLYN JEAN MILLER

SENIOR DIRECTORY

Mabel Klausning
Music 1-2
B.H.A. 2
Girls Basketball 2
Class Plays:
Advertiser 2
Prompter 3-4

Dale Crawford
South 1
Music 2-3-4
Minstrel 4
Letter C. Assoc. 3
Basketball 2-3-4
Baseball 2-3-4
Class Plays:
Where's Grandma 2
The Actors Have
Come 3
Almost Eighteen 4

Opal Thompson
Music 1-2-4
Minstrel 4
B.H.A. 2-3-4
B.H.A. Reporter
2-3-4
Class Plays:
Where's Grandma 2
Advertiser 3
Ticket Sales 4

LeRoy Blackburn
Music 1-2-3-4
Minstrel 4
Art Editor Ann'l 4
Class Plays:
Stage Mgr. 2
Almost Eighteen 4

Susie Wolfe
VALEDICTORIAN 4
Music 1-2-3-4
Minstrel 4
Class Officer:
Sec. & Treas. 1
B.H.A. 2
Girls Basketball 2
Echo Ass't Ed. 3
Echo Editor 4
Class Plays:
Where's Grandma 2
The Actors Have Come 3
Almost Eighteen 4

Dick Etzkorn
Music 1-2
Letter C. Assoc. 3
Basketball Mgr. 1
Basketball 2-3
Class Plays:
Stage Mgr. 2-3
Technician 4

Ginny Lowry
Music 1-2-3-4
Minstrel 4
Class Officer:
Sec. & Treas. 2
V. Pres. 3
B.H.A. 2
Asst. Ed. for Ann'l 4
Girls Basketball 2
Class Plays:
Where's Grandma 2
The Actors Have Come 3
Almost Eighteen 4

Kenny Lowry
Music 1
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Min. Operator:
Echo & Ann'l 3-4
Letter C. Assoc. 3
Class Plays:
Stage Mgr. 3-4

Carolyn Miller
Pianist 1-2-3-4
Minstrel 4
Class Officer:
V. Pres. 1
Sec. & Treas. 3
B.H.A. 2-4
Girls Basketball 2
Class Plays:
Where's Grandma 2
The Actors
Have Come 3
Almost Eighteen 4

CLASS PROPHECY

708 West Market Street
Lima, Ohio
May 20, 1954

Dear Mrs. Dupler:

Here it has been five long years since I was a senior at dear old Cridersville High although it doesn't seem like it. It seems like only yesterday I took my trip after graduation. My how time flies!!!! But I'm writing you because I happen to have heard from or about all of my school mates and I thought perhaps you'd like to hear of my peculiar experience so here goes----

SUSIE WOLFE and I came in Nurses Training here at St. Rita's going on three years ago. It has been a wonderful three years and I have enjoyed every second of it and I am sure Susie has too. We graduate next spring and I am hoping to get a job in surgery. But it was only last Friday night that I received a telephone call from DOTTIE FREYMUTH who had just arrived from Chicago where she is a private secretary in a large outstanding firm. We three decided to meet at the Congress for dinner at 6:30 that evening. On our way down town who did Susie and I meet but GINNY LOWRY (now Crawford) and DALE. Gin told us they had married just as soon as school was out and were living in a house trailer just on the out skirts of Lima.

It was after we had finished eating that we decided to go skating at the Divic Roller Rink. We were buzzing along in our taxi when a darling little home caught our attention. Dottie explained that that was where JANIE SHAW (Britt) and Jim lived. Janie is now working at a secretary job in Lima with CAROLYN MILLER. Carolyn took a twelve months ~~secretary~~ course at Northwestern School of Commerce immediately after graduation.

Well here we were at the Rink and I without much success was trying to skate. After awhile looking up from my seat (on the floor) I saw no one but OPAL THOMPSON offering me help. After a short chat we learned she was now teaching skating lessons after she took lessons herself. We were about to leave when Kitty and PAT REILLY came over to us and insisted upon driving us back to Lima. (Of course, we knew Pat was married and working as a painter.) Well, on our way back to town, Pat's car broke down and who did our mechanic turn out to be but DICK ETZKORN, and a good one too. We had called in to a garage from a near by house. But it wasn't long before Dottie, Susie and I were sound asleep after a most wonderful and exciting evening. (With permission Dottie stayed with Susie and I at the Nurses Home.)

CLASS PROPHECY-CON'T.

Saturday, being my day off, Dottie and I went down town shopping. Of course, it was mostly window shopping. About 12:30 we decided we were both quite famished and so we decided to go to the Congress to eat our dinner. Upon entering the Congress whom did we meet but MABEL KLAUSING and a friend. After the introductions we learned he was from the City Loan where Mabel is working as a secretary. Mabel also told us she now lived in Lima and liked her work very much.

Boy, what a dinner! It reminded me of our wonderful school dinners and good times in the cafeteria. Remember the time dutch cleanser was placed in the ice box to keep from spoiling???!!!

Well after finishing our dinner Dottie and I decided to go and have our hair fixed for the fun of it and what do you think? ANGELA OWENS ended up giving us a new hair do. She has been a beautician for two years now. In our conversation I learned CHUCK STEVENS was married and has a little boy a year old and lives in Cridersville as you probably already know.

My, I don't beleive I've ever had such as wonderful time as I have learning about my schoolmates! Some of us have achieved our goal while others of us are still struggling to make a success.

Upon leaving Angela we went window shopping. My, fashions sure do change, don't they ??!! Who would ever dream our dresses would be up to our knees again. I suppose the kids are busy in Home Ec. keeping in style. Well, as were drooling over a darling coat whom did we see but LEROY BLACKBURN. He is now an aeronautics mechanic at a large air field in Dayton. He told us he saw MOSE KOCH just the other day. Mose had just come back from South America where he spends quite a bit of his time now since he owns several oil wells and a coffee plantation there. LeRoy also told us KENNY LOWRY is farming his own farm out at the edge of Cridersville now and making good at it.

LeRoy offered to drive us out to see Kenny so before we knew it we found ourselves in Cridersville. As we drove through we saw quite a few of our old friends but we didn't stop. Kenny was just arriving home from town when we pulled in. We were all laughing and talking over old times when DICK WILLIAMS drove in. He is now as you probably also know a successful farmer out side of Lima. I beleive he said he has helpers to help farm his 800 acres of land.

Soon Dottie was on her way back to Chicago and I at St. Rita's thinking about my busy weekend.

CLASS PROPHECY-CON'T.

Susie and I often talk about the experiences and the happenings while we were still in high school. I miss the kids but I guess thats the way life is meeting new friends and just remembering the old.

Well, I imagine your tireing of this so I'll sign off.

Just one of the 49'ers,

Betty Jane Wheeler

P.S. Oh, I also reminded the kids of the party you are giving for us in about two weeks. We are all planning on coming and I hope each and everyone of us will be there.

Remember the letters we wrote and gave to you the last week of school in 49? The letters each of us wrote what we thought we would be doing at the end of five years time???? Well these five years have passed and I'm wondering if the letters are going to prove true to our prophecy. Well we will know when we meet at your home. We are looking forward to visiting your new home also. I have heard it is a very beautiful one. I'm sure we'll have a swell time so until I see you I will again say good-bye.

CLASS - WILL

We, the Forty Niners, realizing that in a few short weeks our school days will be over, do hereby will to our underclassmen these things near and dear to us.

PAT REILLY: My athletic ability to Wayne Beerbower.

GINNY LOWRY: My seat in the Senior Home Room to Janet Lowry.

CHUCK STEVENS: My ability to pitch to Ronnie Owens.

JANIE SHAW: My blue eyes to Ragenna Smith.

DALE CRAWFORD: My weight to Ronny Spyker.

ANGELA OWENS: My short hair Dorothy Parker.

KENNETH LOWRY: My basketball No. 17 to Bob Davis.

MABEL KLAUSING: My ability to be a Senior to Jack Howell.

LEROY BLACKBURN: My ability to be on the winning side of the football team to the Freshman class.

BETTY WHEELER: My long dark hair to Helena Ritt.

DICK ETZKORN: My cars to LeRoy McFarland.

DOROTHY FREYMUTH: My "white gold" rimmed glasses to Howard LaRue.

DICK WILLIAMS: My girls to Tom Graham.

SUSIE WOLFE: My red-painted saddle-shoes to Shirley Roser.

MORRIS KOCH: My ambitions to "Red" Gross.

OPAL THOMPSON: My ability to roller skate to Jean Thompson.

CAROLYN MILLER: My truthfulness to Nancy Winget.

THE SENIOR CLASS: The Senior Home Room and Teacher to the Class of '50.

Mabel Klausning

WACALARKATE

Methodist Church-----May 15, 1949
Prelude-----"My Faith Look Up to Thee"
Shirley Roser
Processional-----"Fairrest Lord Jesus"
Choir-Graduates-Faculty
Invocation-----Rev. C. G. Sayre
Choral Response-----"Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"
Choir
Hymn-----"Faith of Our Fathers"
Congregation
Anthem-----"Send Forth Thy Spirit"
Choir
Scripture-----John 8-32
Rev. Robert Richards
Pastoral Prayer-----Rev. Evan Owens
Response-----"O Lamb of God"
Choir
Baritone Solo-----"Lord, Let Me Live Today"
Dick Williams
Sermon-----"And the Truth Shall Make You Free"
Rev. Richards
Anthem-----"O Lord, Most Holy"
Choir and Ronnie Owens
Announcements-----Mr. Vogelgesang
Hymn-----"Now The Day Is Over"
Congregation
Benediction-----Rev. Sayre
Choral Amen-----Choir

NOW THE DAY IS OVER

Now the day is over
Night is drawing nigh
Shadows of the evening
Steal across the sky.

Jesus, give the weary
Calm and sweet repose
With Thy tenderest
blessing
May our eyelids close.

When the morning wakens
Then may I arise
Pure, and fresh, and
sinless
In Thy Holy eyes.
A-men.

Faith of our fathers, holy
faith,
We will be true to thee
till death!

FAITH OF OUR FATHERS

Faith of our fathers,
living still
In spite of dungeon,
fire and sword,
O, how our hearts beat
high with joy
When-e'er we hear that
glorious word.

Our fathers chained in
prisons dark,
Were still in heart and
conscience free;
And blest would be their
children's fate,
If they, like them should
die for thee:

Faith of our fathers, we will
love--Both friend and foe in
all our strife,
And preach thee, too, as love
knows how By kindly words and
virtuous life:

C O M M E N C E M E N T

Community Hall-----May 17, 1949

Processional-----"Land of Hope and Glory"
Chorus, Eighth Grade, Seniors

Invocation-----Rev. Evan Owens

Choral Response-----Three-fold Amen
Chorus

Music-----
(a) Sing Along-----Arthur Penn
(b) Ours Is the World-----Hadyn Morgan
Mixed Chorus-----Mrs. Dupler-Director
Carolyn Miller-accompanist

Presentation of Eighth Grade Diplomas-----Mr. L.F. Schumaker

Salutatory Address-----"We Have Reached Our Goal"
Dorothy Freymuth

Music-----
(a) Beautiful Dreamer-----Stephen Foster
(b) When I've Done My Best-----Dorsey
Boys Glee Club

Valedictory Address-----"Looking Toward the Future"
Susie Wolfe

Address-----"Men of Tomorrow"
Wade E. Miller--Supt. of Schools-Middletown.

Music-----
(a) Bless This House-----May H. Brahe
(b) The Angelus-----Rubenstein
Girls Glee Club

Presentation of the Class of 1949 to the president of the
Board-----Mr. James K. Vogelgesang

Presentation of diplomas to the Class
of '49
Mr. Joe Lowry

Presentation of Special Awards-----????????????????

Choral Benediction to Seniors
Composed by Dorothy Dupler
Sung by the Underclassmen.

Benediction-----Rev. Jesse Shaw

SENIOR GRAD 2 3 4



CAIDERSVILLE SECOND GRADE 1938-39

Pictures were not taken of our cute "little" kids in the first grade.



CAIDERSVILLE THIRD GRADE 1939-40

Have there been any changes made



CAIDERSVILLE FOURTH GRADE 1940-41

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ADOLESCENCE



CRADERSVILLE FIFTH GRADE 1941-42 576



SIXTH GRADE CRADERSVILLE 1942-43 364



SEVENTH GRADE CRADERSVILLE 1943-44 365

GRADES
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GRAD
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Gradersville - Oregon - 1944-45



CRIDERSVILLE
SCHOOL
GRADE 9
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NOTICE
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We hope you have enjoyed and received some laughs from our different stages of development. They have brought back many memories to us.

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Jack
Sandler
"51"

Nathaniel Henry

Bob LaRue
"51"

Howard
"50" LaRue

Mom
"50" Graham

UPPERCLASSMEN

Upperclassmen: We, the Seniors, will be leaving C.H.S. knowing that the Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors can carry on every task set before them with sure success.





JUNIOR CLASS IDENTIFICATION

Top Row--Melvin Snider, Dick Stevens, Howard LaRue, Gene Church
Carl Hall, Jack Davis, and Tom Graham.

Middle Row--Mr. Basinger, Jean Reichelderfer, Maryellen Bowsher
Ragenna Smith, Larrie Hoak, Jane Mitchell, Dorothy
Gilmore,

Bottom Row--Peggy Snider, Doris Davidson, Bea Howell, Josephine
Bohrbacher, Helen Mault, and Betty Shaffer.

The Junior Class entertained with a dinner dance in honor of the graduating class at Lost Creek Country Club on May 13th. Jack Davis was the toastmaster and he called upon Jane Mitchell pres. of the Junior Class who gave the welcome address, Pat Kelly, pres. of the Senior class responded. A few appropriate remarks were made by Mr. Vogelgesang, after which everyone sang the school song. The Raphsodiers from St. Marys furnished the music for the dance.





Top Row: Vernon Crouse, Richard Bice, Bob LaRue, Bob Schultz, Jack Saddler, Ed Conkle.

Bottom Row: Helen Konst, Kathryn Henry, Mable Fogt, Shirley Sherrick, Arleen Lowry, Mr. Crites.

Absent: Jim Valenti

SOPHOMORE



FRESHMEN

Top Row: Gene Deifendeifer, Ronny Porter, Gwynn Coon, Glenn Smith, David Melchi, Wayne Beerbauer, Dale Smith.

Second Row: Mr. Crites, Charles Rohrbacher, Shirley Gross, Juanita Beeler, Dorothy Parker, Harriet Wolfe, Sam Howell.

Bottom Row: Bob Davis, Helena Ritt, Charlene Beery, Shirley Roser, Gay Keller, Ronnie Owens.

SR. HIGH POPULARITY CONTEST

Prettiest girl-----Betty Wheeler
Handsome boy-----Dick Williams
Most popular girl-----Susie Wolfe
Most popular boy-----Morris Koch
Most athletic girl-----Doris Davidson
Most athletic boy-----Pat Reilly
Girl most likely to succeed-----Betty Wheeler
Boy most likely to succeed-----Morris Koch
Neatest girl-----Jean Reichelderfer
Neatest boy-----Melvin Snider
Typical high school girl-----Susie Wolfe
Typical high school boy-----Morris Koch
Friendliest girl-----Susie Wolfe
Friendliest boy-----Morris Koch
Biggest wolf (boy)-----Ed Conkle
Biggest flirt (girl)-----Betty Shaffer & Nancy Winget
Most studious girl-----Helena Ritt
Most studious boy-----Morris Koch
Most intelligent girl-----Betty Wheeler
Most intelligent boy-----Morris Koch
Wittiest girl-----Dorothy Freymuth
Wittiest boy-----Jack Saddler
Cutest girl-----Shirley Roser
Cutest boy-----Tom Graham
Most polite girl-----Jean Reichelderfer
Most polite boy-----Melvin Snider

J U N I O R H I G H

Junior High: These Junior High Students have progressed over half the way. They will soon begin their high school career in which we wish them all success.





Top Row: Philip Morgan, Gene Stevens, LeRoy McFarland, Jack Howell, Bernard Valenti, Richard Parlette, Bob Konst.

Second Row: Jimmy Ritchie, Glenna Wilson, Yvonne Bailey, Pat Hall, Joetta Sherrick, Marilyn Montgomery, Joan Beery, Mrs. Aldrich.

Bottom Row: Jimmy Crouse, Betty Morris, Jean Thomas, Marilyn Mault, Janet Lowry, Ronny Spyker.

8TH GRADE



7TH GRADE

Top Row: Roger Thompson, Bob Rosenbauer, David Smith, Ronny Mooney, John Bayliff, Jack Howell, Neil Armstrong, Freidan Wolfe, Floyd Gross, Tom Konst.

Second Row: Mrs. Aldrich, Ronald Gross, Marleen Foltz, Joan Croft, Carol Keller, Marlene Miller, Mary Frances Crowe, Barbara Tippie, Marna Deifendeifer, Joann Laman, Bonny Melchi, Richard Rosenbauer.

Bottom Row: Yuteve Kirchner, Shirley Parlette, Jimmy Conner, Morris Spees, Gene Reese, Billy Graham, Gordon Lowry, Jean Thompson, Lila White.

JR. HIGH POPULARITY CONTEST

Prettiest girl-----Joan Beery
Handsome boy-----Billy Graham
Most popular girl-----Joan Croft
Most popular boy-----Billy Graham
Most athletic girl-----Yuteve Kirchner
Most athletic boy-----Gordan Lowry
Girl most likely to succeed-----Marna Diefendiefer
Boy most likely to succeed-----Jimmy Crouse
Neatest girl-----Joan Croft
Neatest boy-----Billy Graham
Typical high school girl-----Joan Beery
Typical high school boy-----Bernard Valenti
Friendliest girl-----Joan Croft
Friendliest boy-----Billy Graham
Biggest wolf (boy)-----Bernard Valenti
Biggest flirt (girl)-----Yvonne Bailey
Most studious girl-----Marna Diefendiefer
Most studious boy-----Jimmy Crouse
Most intelligent girl-----Marna Diefendiefer
Most intelligent boy-----Jimmy Crouse
Wittiest girl-----Pat Hall & Yvonne Bailey
Wittiest boy-----Ronald Gross
Cutest girl-----Joan Croft
Cutest boy-----Billy Graham
Most polite girl-----Glenna Wilson & Marna Diefendiefer
Most polite boy-----Billy Graham

GRADE FACULTY

Elementary: The Elementary grades are the beginning of a great world, to everyone this means the beginning of a school career. To us this time has passed fast, but to those who are beginning the time seems slow.





IDA BURDEN

Our Faculty



GLADYS TRUESDALE



MILDRED HAGER



MARIE VANDIVIER



MARTHA REICHELDERFER

ELEMENTARY FACULTY DIRECTORY

Mrs. Ida Burden
Born at Cridersville, Ohio
Attended Miami, Bowling Green
and Ada Colleges
Teaches--4th and 5th Grades
Years at Cridersville--1923-27
1946-49

Mrs. Gladys Truesdale
Born at Wapakoneta, Ohio
Attended Bowling Green State
University (Diploma)
Teaches--3rd Grade
Years at Cridersville--1947-49

Mrs. Mildred Hager
Born in Allen County
Auglaize County Normal
Ohio Northern
Teaches--5th and 6th Grades
Years at Cridersville--1947--
1949.

Mrs. Marie Vandivier
Born at Bucyrus, Ohio
Graduated from Marvin College, Mo.
Teaches--2nd Grade
Years at Cridersville--1945-49

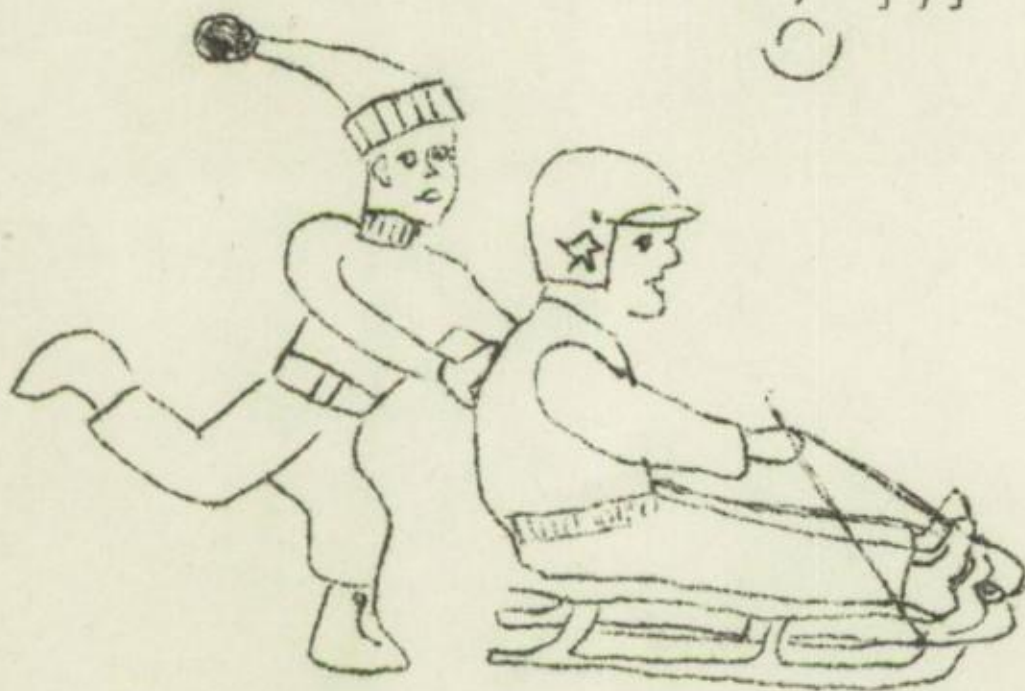
Miss Martha Reichelderfer
Born at Cridersville, Ohio
Attended Bowling Green State
University.
Teaches--1st Grade
Years at Cridersville--1948-49



Top Row: Jimmy Roser, Donnie Bambauer, Karen Plapp,
Mary Margaret Bayliff, Phyllis Crowe, Donald Smith,
Ronald Gross, Harvey Kiser.

Bottom Row: Mrs. Hager, Bobby Hall, Denny Mooney, Dan-
rel Chapman, Gretchen Wolfe, Zurlene Modd, Joan Butter-
field, Harold Kessen, Jerry Snider.

6TH GRADE



5TH GRADE

Top Row: Bobby Shields, Grover Blazer, David Reese,
Bruce Roser, Ethel Sheets, Budd Bayliff, Gertrude Gar-
rison, Bobby Harshe.

Second Row: Mrs. Hager, Nancy Wolfe, Linda Lambert,
Cora Mae Rosenbauer, Esther Sheets, Marlene Stevens,
Carole Sue Huntwork, Nelda White, Caroline Mowery, Bev-
erly Baumgardner, Mrs. Burden.

Bottom Row: Lynn White, Dickie Numbers, Ronnie Stevel-
ey, Gary Miner, Terry Herbst, Philip Motter, Donald
Gross, Richard Keller.



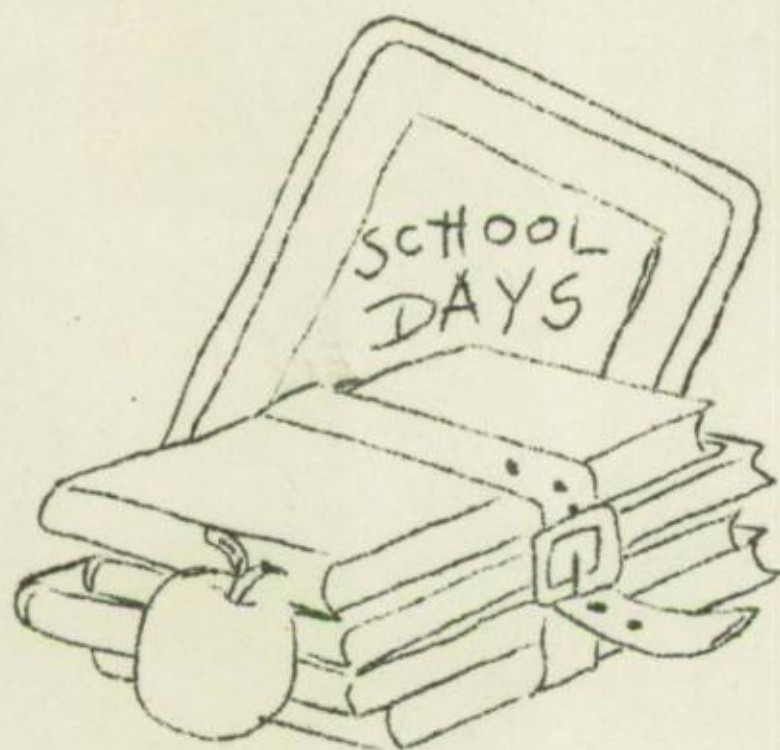
Top Row: Warren Pugsley (second grade special), Norman Kirchner, Jay Rohrbacher, Dean Pierstorff, Walter Armes Billy Hinegardner.

Second Row: Glenn Hastings, Tommy Mault, Frances Graham Ethel Coppler, Nancy Sheets, Carol Sue Thomas.

Bottom Row: Martha Wolfe, Linda Lou Miller, Beverly Lowry, Carol Jean Werling, Doris Mae Werling, Shirley Lowry, Jack Winget, Harry Coppler.

Absent--Nancy Beerbauer, Danny Snider.

4TH GRADE



3RD GRADE

Top Row: Jimmy Motter, Billy Sproul, Fred Howell, Dick Hinegardner, Jimmy Sproul, Donald Hinkle, Jimmy Bayliff Bobby Garland, John Sherrick.

Second Row: Carolyn Sue Baumgardner, Linda Lou Metz, Sandra Sue Lytle, Carolyn Harrod, Carol Ann Modd, Pearl Armes, Carolyn Hower, Sandra Kiser, Kay Stevens, Darla Modd, Betty Lou Mault.

Bottom Row: Mrs. Truesdale, Donna Jean Owens, Robert Lambert, Dale Hower, Roger Lowry, Donald Lawrence, Norman Laman, Herbert Plapp, Dick Frey, Marcia Davis, Pearl Coppler.

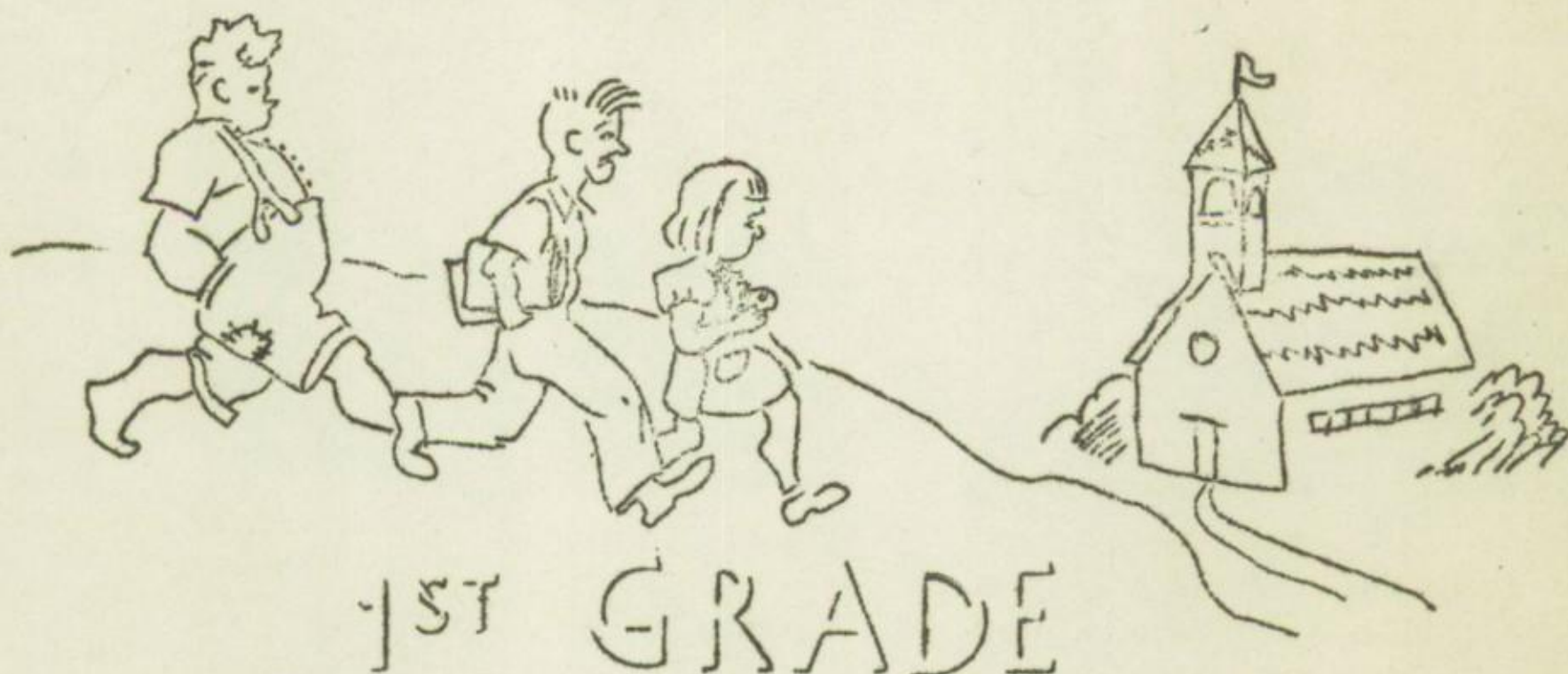


Top row: Gary Herbst, David Garrison, Esther Mertz, Sue Lowry, Patty Kesson, Esther Schmidt, Don Hinegardner, and Billy Joe Stevens.

Middle row: James Holly, Sharon Evans, Sharon Motter, Barbara Johns, Suellen Kollars, Judy Kohlreiser, Judy Harshman, Janet Shoemaker, Karen C row, Sondra White and Charles Mowery.

Bottom row: Jimmy Mills, Gary Reese, Larry Shaw, Jon Kuhns, Marilyn Roser, Navelda Crouse, Billy Tully, Roger Fox, Robert Gusman, Barry Snider and Mrs. Vandivier.

2ND GRADE



1ST GRADE

Top row: Marion Harrison, Charles Wells, Clifford Smith, Ronnie Blazer, Carolyn Fox, Phillip Wauben, Sharon Tully, Douglas Fockler, and Lois Ann Werling.

Middle row: Maurice Frazier, Richard Shaw, Phyllis Hudson, Larry Mayer, Tommy Bayliff, Carline Lawrence, Catherine Mitchell, and Sandra Sherrick.

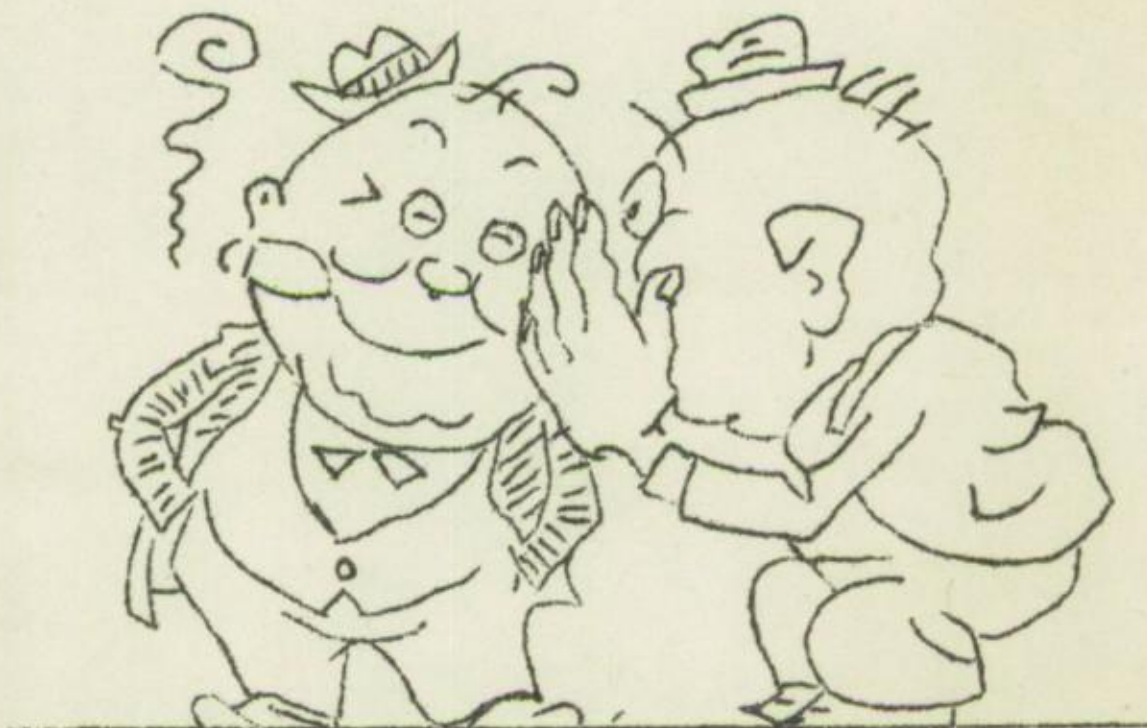
Bottom row: Jack Garland, George Hay, La Donna Laman, Linda Lou Wellbaum, Rita Kay Stevely, Patricia Pugsley, Rita Ann Konst, and Bud Coppler.

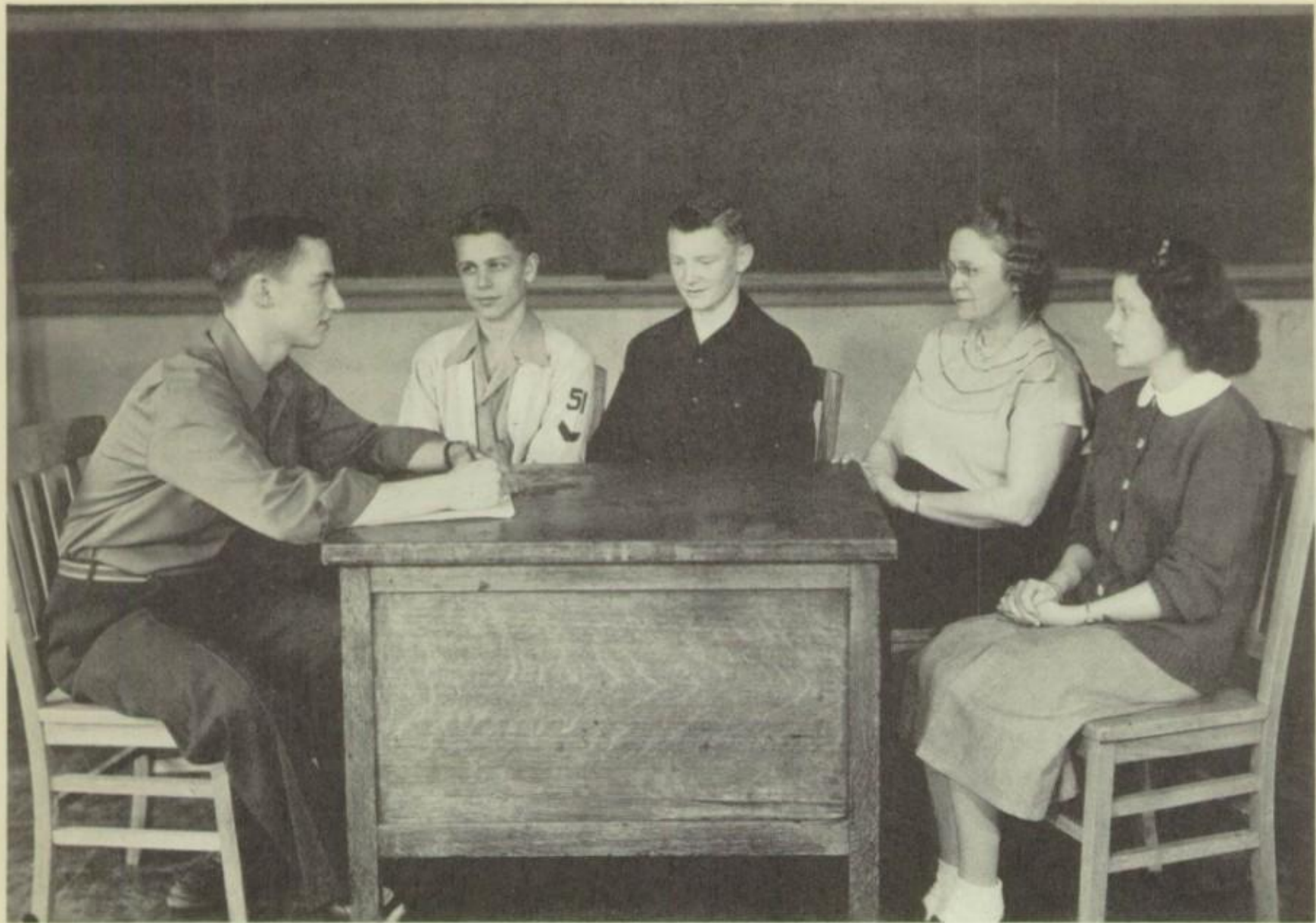
Absent: Kaetta Foltz and Larry Lee Gross.



ORGANIZATIONS

Organizations; We think Grider-ville has done it's best in all the organizations we have attempted to start and hope it will continue through out the years.





STUDENT COUNCIL

Morris Koch-----Senior Representative-President

Bob Schultz-----Soph. Representative-Vice President

Glenn Smith-----Freshman Representative

Mrs. Dorothy Dupler-----Faculty Advisor

Josephine Rohrbacher-----Junior Representative-Sec. & Treas.

The Student Council is composed of one member chosen from each of the four upper classes and one faculty member. Its job is to take care of any momentous questions that arise from time to time.

"ECHO" STAFF

Sitting:

Morris Koch-----Business Manager

Helena Ritt-----Art Editor

Susie Wolfe-----Editor

Standing:

Howard LaRue-----Assistant Business Manager

Mrs. Aldrich-----Faculty Advisor

Mr. Basinger-----Faculty Advisor

Larrie Hoak-----Assistant Editor

Jack Davis-----Assistant Mimeograph Operator

Kenny Lowry-----Mimeograph Operator

The Echo,, our school paper, is published once every six weeks and its aim is to keep both students and parents informed of the important happenings here at school.



GIRLS GLEE CLUB

Top Row: Arleen Lowry, Peggy Snider, Betty Shaffer, Shirley Parlette, Maryellen Bowsher, Susie Wolfe, Ginny Lowry, Doris Davidson, Angela Owens.

Second Row: Yvonne Bailey, Joan Beery, Gay Keller, Kathryn Henry, Marilyn Montgomery, Pat Hall, Dorothy Freymuth, Janie Mitchell, Larrie Hoak, Beatrice Howell, Helen Mault, Joan Croft.

Third Row: Joetta Sherrick, Harriet Wolfe, Shirley Gross, Juanita Beeler, Marlene Miller, Marleen Foltz, Bonita Melchi Regenna Smith, Dorothy Parker, Jean Reichelderfer, Nancy Winget, Lila White.

Bottom Row: Betty Morris, Glenna Wilson, Marna Deifendeifer Carol Keller, Marilyn Mault, Opal Thompson, Charlene Beery, Helena Ritt, Shirley Roser, Janie Shaw.

Pianist--Carolyn Miller
Director--Mrs. Dorothy Dupler

BOYS GLEE CLUB

Top Row: Morris Spees, David Smith, Ronny Mooney, Gene Stevens, Bernard Valenti, Dick Stevens, Bob Schultz, Eugene Church, Gwynn Coon, Ed Conkle, Melvin Snider.

Second Row: Gene Reese, Howard LaRue, Wayne Beerbauer, David Melchi, Bob LaRue, Chuck Stevens, Dick Williams, LeRoy Blackburn, Ronny Porter, Pat Reilly.

Bottom Row: Bob Davis, Ronnie Owens, Jimmy Crouse, Jimmy Conner, Ronny Mooney, Freidan Wolfe, Gordon Lowry.

Pianist--Carolyn Miller
Director--Mrs. Dorothy Dupler



REVIEW OF ACTIVITIES

The Mixed Chorus is composed of the combined Glee Clubs with Mrs. Dupler as director and Carolyn Miller as accompanist. The Chorus meets every Friday afternoon.

We have furnished a program of art songs and classics for the P. T. A. at their December meeting and we presented a Minstrel and variety show in March. We also furnish the music for the Commencement and Baccalaureate exercises.

Identification for the Mixed Chorus is on the following page. Each student autographed his or her own photograph.

MIXED CHORUS

(IDENTIFICATION)

Top Row:

Arleen Lowry,
Peggy Snider
Angela Owens
Helen Maull
Bea Howell
Doris Davidson
Denny Sawyer
Eugene Stalder
Jean Reichelderfer
David Smith
Ronny Porter
Ed Smith
Bob Schultz
Dick Williams

Second Row:

Vonnie Bailey
Joan Beery
Gay Keller
Harkyn Henry
Raguna Smith
Marilyn Montgomery
Dorothy Parker
Nancy Tingit
Lila White
Morris Speer
Gene Stevens
Bernard Valenti
Philip Morgan
Le Roy Blackburn

Third Row:

Harriet Wolfe
Shirley Cross
Janita Beeler
Marlene Miller
Gitta Shonick
Lanie Mack
Betty Shaffner
Ginevieve Corner

Ronny Mooney
Dave Melchi
Eugene Wolfe

Fourth Row:

Glenna Wilson
Mama Deifondeifer
Carol Keller
Bonita Melchi
Pat Hall
Dottie Freymuth
Janis Mitchell
Jim Crouse
Chuck Stevens
Melvin Snider
Dick Stevens
Eugene Coon

Fifth Row:

Shirley Rosen
Maryellen Brasher
Opal Thompson
Charlene Henry
Helena Ritt
Janis Shaw
Pat Beilly
Howard La Rue
Eugene Church
Wayne Barbours
Bob LaRue

Bottom Row:

Betty Morris
Marilyn Maule
Joan Craft

Shirley Parlatte
Marlene Foltz
Gene Reese

Bob Davis
Ronnie Owens
Gordon Lowry

Carolyn Miller
acc.

Dorothy Dupler
Director

Absent:

Dale Crawford



SCHOOL PATROL

David Smith

Jimmy Crouse

Jimmy Conner

Gordon Lowry

Ronny Spyker

Morris Spees

These boys have given of their time and effort in trying to keep our school children from harm in crossing the streets at noons and at night after school. We express our gratitude and appreciation to these boys for the good job they have done this year.

B.H.A

Top Row:

Mrs. Hinkle--Cook

Mrs. Dupler--Advisor

Second Row:

Carolyn Miller, Betty Wheeler, Shirley Parlette, Mable Fogt, Angela Owens, Helen Konst, Kathryn Henry.

Bottom Row:

Opal Thompson, Janie Mitchell, Josephine Rohrbacher, Helen Mault, Larrie Hoak, Beatrice Howell, Peggy Snider, Betty Shaffer.

We hope to become just what our name says, "better homemakers of America." We have had a lot of fun together along with learning not only to sew and cook, but also to get along with our fellow classmates. In learning to work together here we are equipping ourselves with the ability to get along with our fellow citizens in our future life.



A C T I V I T I E S

Activities: Athletics are not only important for our physical, well-being but also helps us to meet lifes great problems. Criddersville, has showed excellent group co-operation.

When the great scorer comes to write against your name,
He writes not that you've won or lost,
But how you played the game.





"ALMOST EIGHTEEN"

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

Cast of Characters

WILLIAM BARRY-----	Eddie's dad-----	DALE CRAWFORD
GRACE BARRY-----	His mother-----	DOTTIE FREYMUTH
BEATRICE BARRY-----	The daughter-----	JANIE SHAW
MABEL WARREN-----	A music teacher-----	CAROLYN MILLER
MRS. GRANVILLE-----	Tommy's mother-----	BETTY WHEELER
EDDIE BARRY-----	"Almost Eighteen"-----	DICK WILLIAMS
GEORGE JONES-----	Has a philosophy-----	MOSE KOCH
ANN SHERMAN-----	Eddie's ideal-----	SUSIE WOLFE
TOMMY GRANVILLE-----	Eddie's friend-----	CHUCK STEVENS
SALLY DAVIDSON-----	One of the crowd-----	GINNY LOWRY
MR. MERRITT-----	A professor-----	LEROY BLACKBURN
MISS DALRYMPLE-----	A clubwoman-----	ANGELA OWENS

DIRECTED BY: MRS. DOROTHY DUPLER

The play centered around Eddie who was "Almost Eighteen". Eddie was quite grown-up in some reactions and in others he was still a boy. His father tried to be a stern parent but underneath was soft-hearted. His mother was the typical adoring parent who defended him against the "sternness" of his father. Beatrice, Eddie's older sister was about to be married causing the household to be upset.

Eddie had dreams of becoming a second Bing Crosby and in this ambition he was encouraged by his music teacher, Mabel Warren, who was also an admirer of Eddie's Uncle George. George's outlook on life was entirely different from Eddie's dad. His philosophy was to live each day to its fullest enjoyment. In the end he and Mabel planned a combined honeymoon and fishing trip.

To finance his studies in New York, Eddie was writing an essay on "Truth". He had copied one written in the seventeenth century to better get in the mood of the theme. He entered his essay under part of his name because Mrs. Granville was one of the judges and she was the adoring mother of Tommy, a friend of Eddie's. Eddie felt that she might be prejudiced because he and Tommy had had a fight over Ann, Eddie's "life plot".

Unbeknowns to Eddie, Uncle George had entered the seventeenth century essay which was awarded the prize. Mr. Merritt recognized the essay and Eddie was in disgrace. Both Tommy and Sally Davidson stood by Eddie. Mrs. Granville and another judge, Miss Dalrymple wanted to see Eddie punished. Uncle George arrived home just in time to straighten things out and the second place essay which was Eddie's own was awarded first place.

Shirley Roser tap danced a rhumba between the first two acts and Ronnie Owens sang a solo, "Forever and Ever" between the last two.



"Amazing Gracie"

Junior Class Play

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Gracie Underwood	-----The Young Wife	-----Nancy Winget
Taylor Underwood	-----A young college student	-----Jack Davis
Aunt Tallaha	-----Gracie's Aunt	-----Doris Davidson
Uncle Horatio	-----Taylor's Uncle	-----Melvin Snider
Rainbow	-----The Underwood Servant	-----Peggy Snider
Piedmont	-----The Underwood Servant	-----Howard LaRue
Friena	-----The Underwood Servant	-----Rageanna Smith
Mrs. Spicer	-----The Underwoods noisy neighbors	-----Jean Reichelderfer
Dody	-----Mrs. Spicers daughter	-----Betty Shaffer
Darius Damrock	-----Mrs. Spicers Heartthrob	-----Dick Stevens
Butch	-----Sanitarium keeper	-----Dale Satterfield

On Friday night November 12, the annual Junior Class Play was presented in the Community Hall.

The play centered around the young wife Gracie and her young husband Taylor Underwood. Throughout the play Gracie and Taylor were kept busy keeping their marriage a secret from Aunt Tallaha, and Uncle Horatio, who very much disapproved of Gracie's marrying so young.

The Underwood's servants Rainbow, Piedmont, and Friena provided many laughs which were of great help to the secret marriage. Mrs. Spicer and her only daughter Dody were of great nuisances of the family were noisy neighbors. Butch and Mr. Damrock kept things rolling in several spots so as things wouldn't look suspicious to the guests.

The last scene ironed out everything about the marriage and to everyones surprise Aunt Tallaha and Uncle Horatio were much pleased with Gracie. As usual the play ended with everyone happy and living very merrily ever after.



ALIBI BILL

Lucy-----	The Smith's maid-----	Arleen Lowry
Benson-----	The Smith's butler-----	Bob Schultz
Aimee Smith-----	The wife-----	Dorothy Parker
Mrs. Kennedy-----	The Mother-in law-----	Gay Keller
Billy Smith-----	The Husband-----	Ed Conkle
Jimmy Robinson-----	The Friend-----	Ronnie Owens
Daisy Montaine-----	The show girl-----	Helena Ritt
Ned Kennedy-----	The brother-----	Jack Saddler
The Cop-----	Himself-----	Glenn Smith
Miss Jones-----	The fiancée-----	Shirley Roser

THE ABOVE IS THE CAST OF CHARACTERS FOR THE FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE PLAY

In the first scene Ed Conkle portraying Bill Smith woke up with a hangover only to find Jim Robinson in his house. His wife also returned unexpectedly from the country with her mother.

Mrs. Smith read in a paper about a murder which, due to all clues, Bill and Jim thought they were guilty of. Unknown to anyone this paper was three months old. The butler or maid had lent the current news to a neighbor.

Daisy Montaine met Bill and Jim Saturday night at the Buffalo's Banquet and came to their house Sunday morning. There she found her ex-fiancée Ned visiting his brother-in-law.

Miss Jones, now Ned's fiancée, came to the Smith's home to visit, but was taken to be an imposter. They mistook Daisy for Miss Jones and vice-versa. By this time things were literally a mess.

The cop came to the house on Sunday and after much concentration straightened out the murder matter. All ended well, thanks to the cop, Glenn Smith.



LAF-A-LOT MINSTREL

Interlockor---Morris Koch

ENDMEN

Dale Crawford
Dick Williams
Pat Reilly
Howard La Rue

Jack Davis
Bob Schultz
Bernard Valenti
Jimmy Crouse

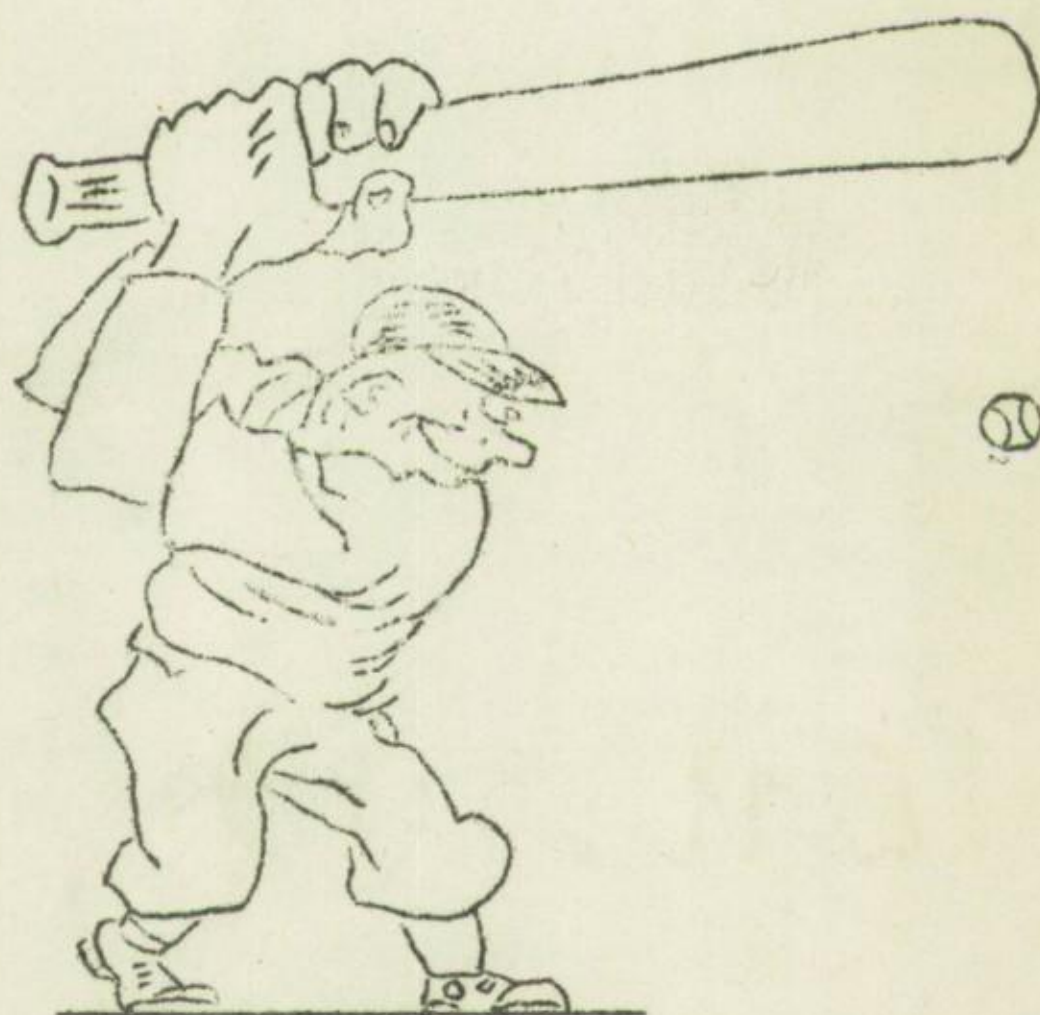
On the night of February 10th the mixed chorus presented a very enjoyable minstrel. The chorus opened the show by singing "Dixie". Morris Koch, master of ceremonies, then preceeded to joke with the endmen. One endman, Dale Crawford, favored the audience with his rendition of "Mammy". Another speciality was done by Ronnie Owens who sang "Daisies Won't Tell". The chorus sang many old favorites and closed the first part with "Buttons and Bows".

The second part of the program was opened by the eight cheerleaders doing a novelty number, "Powder Your Face With Sunshine". Janie Mitchell and Morris Spees followed with a short skit. Next came Dottie Gilmore and Betty Shaeffer with a tap dance. The girls' chorus then sang "The Missouri Waltz" while three couples danced. The following number in the second part was performed by Susie Wolfe and LeRoy Blackburn, singing "Silver Threads Among the Gold."

The closing number, a southern scene centered mainly about a "negro" chorus. Their negro songs sincluded: "Deep River, Old Folks at Home, My Old Kentucky Home, and Old Black Joe." The chorus was composed of: Janie Shaw, Virginia Lowry, Dorothy Freymuth, Angela Owens, Lila White, Shirley Parlette, Harriot Wolfe, Helena Ritt, Maryellen Bowsher, Janie Mitchell, Pat Reilly, Melvin Snider, Bob Schultz, Jimmy Crouse, Morris Spees, Ronnie Owens, Dale Crawford, Howard La Rue, Bernard Valenti, and Dick Williams who sang a solo on "Old Black Joe." The closing song, which was sung by the whole group, was Good Night, Ladies.



SPORTS





WARRIORS

Back Row

Bob Davis--Manager
 David Melchi--Ass't. Manager
 Ronny Porter--Guard
 Howard LaRue--Forward
 Gene Church--Center
 Bob Schultz--Guard
 Mr. Robert Crites--Coach

Front Row

Dick Williams--Guard
 Kenny Lowry--Forward
 Morris Koch--Center--"Capt."
 Pat Reilly--Forward
 Tom Graham--Guard
 Absent:
 Dale Crawford--Forward

VARSITY RESULTS

C. H. S.--64
 C. H. S.--38
 C. H. S.--55
 C. H. S.--56
 C. H. S.--46
 C. H. S.--45
 C. H. S.--39
 C. H. S.--58
 C. H. S.--28
 C. H. S.--45
 C. H. S.--56
 C. H. S.--50
 C. H. S.--41
 C. H. S.--28
 C. H. S.--48
 C. H. S.--44
 C. H. S.--65
 C. H. S.--31
 C. H. S.--38
 C. H. S.--51
 C. H. S.--75
 C. H. S.--49
 C. H. S.--54
 C. H. S.--53*

Neptune-----50
 New Bremen-----40
 Waynesfield----44
 Convoy-----37
 Roundhead-----16
 Minster-----53
 Jackson Center-25
 Gomer-----35
 New Knoxville--47
 Neptune-----30
 Convoy-----37
 Buckland-----46
 St. Joe-----34
 Waynesfield----36
 Beaverdam-----52
 New Bremen-----38
 Alger-----32
 Buckland-----46
 Coldwater-----53
 Gomer-----42
 Roundhead-----35
 Jackson Center-28
 Beaverdam-----57
 Minster-----57

*Tournment Game

INDIVIDUAL SCORING RECORD

Morris Koch 283
 Kenny Lowry 268
 Pat Reily 245
 Tom Graham 205
 Dick Williams 31

Bob Schultz 29
 Ronny Porter 16
 Gene Church 14

FOUL-SHOUTING RECORD

Kenny Lowry 61.0%
 Pat Reilly 54.5%
 Bob Schultz 54.6%
 Morris Koch 51.4%

Ronny Porter 51.4%
 Tom Graham 40.3%
 Dick Williams 30. %
 Gene Church 25. %

Shown by this record Kenny Lowry has won the honor of
 having his name engraved on the foul-shouting trophy by
 making 61.0%.



Reserve Team Identification

Top row- David Melchi (Ass't Manager), Ed Conkle, Glenn Smith
Gwynn Coon, Jack Saddler, Jack Davis, and Mr. Crites (Coach)

Bottom row- Bob Davis (Manager), Dick Williams, Ronny Porter,
Howard LaRue, Gene Church, and Bob Schultz, Dale Crawford ,
(Absent)

RESERVE RESULTS

C. H. S.--26	Neptune-----12
C. H. S.--18	New Bremen-----11
C. H. S.--42	Waynesfield-----19
C. H. S.--42	Convoy-----21
C. H. S.--28	Roundhead-----7
C. H. S.--37	Minster-----19
C. H. S.--25	Jackson Center-22
C. H. S.--24	Gomer-----18
C. H. S.--15	New Knoxville--21
C. H. S.--27	Neptune-----20
C. H. S.--37	Convoy-----6
C. H. S.--33	Buckland-----9
C. H. S.--19	St. Joe-----20
C. H. S.--31	Waynesfield-----16
C. H. S.--35	Beaverdam-----27
C. H. S.--32	New Bremen-----18
C. H. S.--47	Alger-----18
C. H. S.--37	Buckland-----23
C. H. S.--23	Coldwater-----17
C. H. S.--29	Gomer-----19
C. H. S.--47	Roundhead-----15
C. H. S.--40	Jackson Center-11
C. H. S.--40	Beaverdam-----20

RESERVE CHEERLEADERS

Nancy Winget

Jean Reichelderfer

Shirley Roser

Arleen Lowry

These four girls have represented the girls in the athletic program of the school. They have trained and practiced hard in the performance of their particular task and have done an excellent job of directing the cheering section. They have done their part in keeping the spirit of the student body on a true sportsmanship level.



IDENTIFICATION OF BASEBALL PLAYERS

Top row: Ed Conkle, Ronny Porter, Glenn Smith, and Mr. Crites (Coach)

Middle row: Gwynn Coon, Jack Saddler, Gene Church, and Bob Schultz.

Bottom row: Kenny Lowry, Morris Koch, Dick Williams (Pitcher), Tommy Graham (Pitcher), and Pat Reilly (Catcher) Dale Crawford (Absent)

BASEBALL RESULTS

C. H. S. --- 6
C. H. S. --- 14
C. H. S. --- 5
C. H. S. --- 1*

Buckland----- 5
Waynesfield--- 4
Buckland-----18
Minster-----12

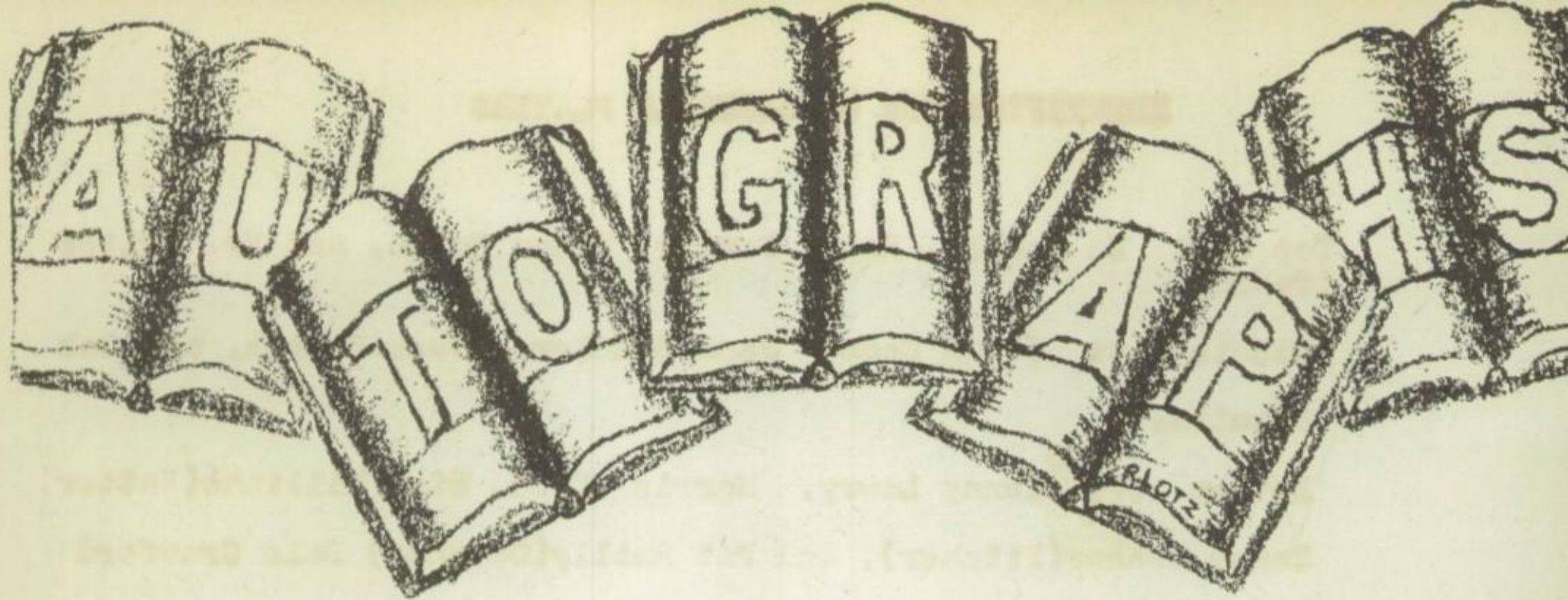
JR. HIGH BASKETBALL PLAYERS AND CHEERLEADERS

Top row: Jimmy Conner (Manager) LeRoy McFarland, DeBarnard Valenti and Jimmy Crouse (Manager)

Middle row: Pat Reilly (Coach) Freiden Wolfe, David Smith, Jack R. Howell, Billy Graham and Morris Spees.

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Sept. 7---First day of school. Two new teachers were welcomed to Cridersville; Mrs. Aldrich, commercial; Miss Reichelderfer, first grade.

Sept. 8---My what busy students! Really, is it assignments so soon?

Sept. 9---My! Why the happy faces? That's right. We get out at noon so we can see the Freedom Train that arrived in Lima this morning.

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Sept. 10---Mr. & Mrs. Failor came to see the Seniors and made arrangements to have our graduation pictures taken.

Sept. 12---The high school team played the Cridersville town team and won; 17 to 5.

Sept. 13---Everyone should be getting us e to school routine by now because its our second week.

Sept. 14---Baseball games begin. The team went to Buckland but lost by a score of 3 to 2. There was an election of class officers in each grade.

Sept. 15---The girls went to the auditorium for gym. Boy, were the girls sore from those exercises???????

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Sept. 16---The high school students' voices were tested for the chorus.

Sept. 17---The Seniors had a meeting and discussed plans for initiation.

Sept. 20---Went to the gym and saw a picture show. The Sr. class ordered pins to sell as a group. Boy's chorus began.

Sept. 21---First day for girls' chorus.

Sept. 22---Fire drill---Boy didn't those Freshman look attractive!? Remember "Initiation" has just begun!

Sept. 23---Those Seniors appreciated that candy and gum that was given to them by the Freshmen.

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Sept. 24---Freshman's Initiation Party sponsored by the Seniors and a dance followed afterwards. Ice cream was served to everyone.

Sept. 27---Baseball game with Jackson Center there. Lost 7-4.

Sept. 28---The juniors and seniors went to the auditorium and saw a picture show by the name of Romeo and Juliet. The seventh and eighth graders went over in the afternoon.

Sept. 30---Echo staff meeting.

Oct. 1---Baseball game with Buckland here and lost by a score of 6 to 3. Varsity cheerleaders were chosen by the Student Council.

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Oct. 4---I wonder why all the commotion in the senior home room???? Could it be they have their proffs???????

Oct. 6---The baseball team had a game with New Bremen at our home diamond but lost by a score of six to nothing.

Oct. 11---Gee! Why so many sad faces? Oh thats right, six weeks test has popped up. Gee doesn't time fly!

Oct. 12---I wonder why the laboratory is always filled with quite a few students during noon hours? Could it be detention??

Oct. 13---A sigh of relief from the Bookkeeping students. That test is finally completed.

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Oct. 14---It seems like those seventh and eighth graders like to stay in at noons. Those detentions get monotonous, don't they??

Oct. 15---School out at noon because teachers had a meeting at New Bremen.

Oct. 18---Beginning of the second six weeks.

Oct. 19---The students found out that Mr. Mahoney's last day of being principal will be Friday.

Oct. 20---Seniors had a class meeting. Grade cards again!!

Oct. 21---We wish to congratulate Janie Shaw on her engagement. Good luck Janie and Jim Britt.

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Oct. 22---Mr. Mahoney's last day of being Supt., for Cridersville. He was awarded a leather shaving kit engraved in gold his name and from the students of Cridersville High School and also a satchel bag from the students. Everyone is sorry he had to leave but he has joined up with the army and has the rank of Major.

Oct. 26---Mrs. Dupler's father died so we are minus another teacher for a few days.

Oct. 27---Mr. Schumaker was here and completed the class schedule.

Oct. 28---A Halloween dance was given by the Jr's and Sr's for the benefit of the seventh to twelfth grades in the evening.

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Oct. 29---No school!!!! Teacher's meeting.
Nov. 1---Welcome Mr. Vogelgesang, our new principal to Cridersville High School!! Hope you like it here and can be with us a long time.
Nov. 2---Went over to the gymnasium and saw a show on Jamestown and Brazil.
Nov. 3---The Seniors are selling magazines as a class group.
Nov. 4---The Junior's class rings arrived by mail.
Nov. 5---I wonder why the Junior's are so happy and attracting a lot of attention. Could it be they have just received their class rings? They are very pretty and something to be proud of.

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Nov. 8---The girls seem to take more interest in gym now.
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Nov. 10---No gym for the girls because the furnace was broken
so we had mixed chorus then.
Nov. 11---Thursday-Armistice Day.
Nov. 15---No school because the first day hunting season. Really
boys did you catch anything?
Nov. 16---First basketball game and we won a victory over Nep-
tune by a score of 64 to 42. Good work team and may always luck
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Nov. 17---The Junior class presented "Amazing Gracie".

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Nov. 19---Basketball game with New Bremen here but lost by only two points. The final score was 40 to 38.

Nov. 23---Basketball game with Waynesfield here and won by a score of 55 to 44. It was really an exciting game.

Nov. 24---A big Thanksgiving dinner and a program followed in the afternoon by the elementary grades. Last day of school for this week. Thanksgiving vacation.

Nov. 25---The team traveled to Convoy for a basketball game and came home with a victory of 56 to 37.

Nov. 30---The team traveled to Roundhead and won another victory in Basketball. The score was 46 to 16.

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Dec. 1---The mixed chorus put on a program for the P.T.A. Say kids whats happened? By the looks of those faces it must be those report cards! Right!?

Dec. 2---The classes had a meeting and discussed plans for Christmas and exchanged names.

Dec. 3---Basketball game with Minster here and lost 53 to 45.

Dec. 7---Another victory over Jackson Center. Won by a margin of 39 to 25.

Dec. 8---Saw a movie in the study hall. In the afternoon a demonstration of the pressure cooker was given by a woman from Wapak. Junior High's first basketball game. Won by 25 to 12.

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Dec. 9- Gee, weren't those Jr. high students happy? Who wouldn't be after winning the game last night.
Dec. 10- Gosh, no basketball game. That's right St. Joe cancelled their game.
Dec. 13- Say, those expressions on the Jr. and Sr. class after the second period. That's right, wasn't that Social Problems test complicated?
Dec. 14- Basketball game with Gomer here. Won 58 to 37.
Dec. 15- Say a movie in the study hall on the care of the teeth and the Library of Congress. Junior High basketball game and won over Bath School.

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Dec. 16- Individual class meetings were held and two representatives from each class for the minstrel to be held later were nominated by the classes.

Dec. 17- Basketball game with New Knoxville and lost by a score of 47 to 29.

Dec. 21- Basketball game at the Neptune's home floor and won by a victory of 45 to 30.

Dec. 22- The minstrel representatives had a meeting.

Dec. 23- Those happy faces. Last day of school in 48. Xmas exchanges and caroling in the Study Hall by all high school students. Bye now. Be seeing you in '49.

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DAY BY DAY CALENDER

- Dec. 30---Basketball game with Buckland and won 50 to 46.
- Jan. 3---Gee golly kids. First I've seen you since you since last year. My isn't that funny? Oh that's right. Remember its the new year of 49 now.
- Jan. 4---Basketball game with St. Joe here and won by a margin of 41 to 34.
- Jan. 5---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall and heard President Truman give his speech over the radio.
- Jan. 6---Everyone is preparing for the game tomorrow night.
- Jan. 7---League game with Waynesfield and lost by a margin of twelve points.
- Jan. 10---Wonder why all the gloomy faces. Could it be this week will take more studying for those tests?
- Jan. 11---It seems like everyone is beginning to concentrate on their lessons more now. We don't want our grades too low.
- Jan. 12---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- Jan. 13---Everyone is beginning to feel better now since most of those tests are over.
- Jan. 14---How time does fly and we have completed our first semester already. League basketball game with New Bremen and won.
- Jan. 17--- Beginning of another six weeks.
- Jan. 18---Basketball game with Alger at our home floor and won 65 to 52.
- Jan. 20---Movie in the Study Hall on birds and animals in technicolor given by a representative from the Standard Oil Company.
- Jan. 21---League basketball game with Buckland and lost by a score of 46 to 31.
- Jan. 25---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie. The team traveled to Coldwater and lost by a score of 53 to 38.
- Jan. 26---Movie in the Study Hall for the high school students.
- Jan. 28---The team traveled to Gomer and won 51 to 42.
- Feb. 1---We played Roundhead and won by forty points. The score of 75 to 35 really looked swell, boys.

DAY BY DAY CALENDER

- Feb. 3---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- Feb. 4---We played Jackson Center in basketball here and won 49 to 28.
- Feb. 8---The team traveled to Beavertown and lost their last school basketball game by 54 to 51. Good luck in the tournament,,boys.
- Feb. 9---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- Feb. 10---The minstrel was presented by the students of C. H. S. Pictures were taken by Failor's Studio.
- Feb. 14---The Jr. class had a skating party at the Dixie Roller Rink and proved to be a big success.
- Feb. 16---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- Feb. 17---Basketball game with Minster. The boys were almost the winner in the tournament but lost by only four points. It really was a swell game.
- Feb. 18---The Senior class had a meeting discussing plans for a skating party at the Dixie Roller Rink.
- Feb. 22---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- Feb. 23---Pictures were taken for the annual by Failor's Studio here in the Study Hall.
- Feb. 24---The Seniors made definite plans for their skating party to be March 21st at the Dixie Roller Rink.
- March 2---Report cards were issued again.
- March 3---Everyone sure looks kinda sad today, could it be from the grades on those report cards last night??????????
- March 4---Mix chorus today.
- March 15---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- March 21---The seniors had a private skating party at the Dixie Roller Rink.
- March 22---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- March 23---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- March 24---The Joy Bell Ringer was here and presented a show for all the students in the auditorium.
- March 25---The Freshmen and Sophomore Class presented Albi Bill.

DAY BY DAY CALENDAR

- March 28---First music practice for Baccalaureate.
- March 29---The boys went back to the ball diamond to practice baseball.
- March 30---Girls taking exercises during gym period.
- April 1---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- April 4---During gym period the girls started a baseball game or either played volley ball.
- April 6---The girls had gym outdoors again because it was such nice weather.
- April 7---First baseball game with Buckland and won by a margin of 6 to 5.
- April 8---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- April 11---Baseball game at Waynesfield and won 14 to 4.
- April 12---We played Buckland again in baseball there and lost 18 to 5.
- April 13---Tickets were on sale for the Senior Class Play.
- April 14---The Juniors and Seniors assembled in the Study Hall and Virgil Lucas gave a speech on Vocational Guidance or Career of Planning.
- April 15---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- April 18---The girls went to the gymnasium because it was such a rainy day.
- April 19---The Junior High students started a campaign of selling magazines.
- April 20---Teacher's meeting at Moulton so school was dismissed at 11:30.
- April 21---The Juniors and Seniors traveled to New Knoxville on the bus to see the team play Minster in the baseball tournament. Our boys lost by a margin of 12 to 1.
- April 22---The Senior Class play was presented and turned out very successful. The name of it was "Almost Eighteen".
- April 25---The Baccalaureate chorus went down to the church to practice.
- April 26---The seventh and eighth grade baseball game with Perry cancelled because of rain.

DAY BY DAY CALENDAR

- April 27---Baseball game with Waynesfield here at our home diamond and won 2 to 1.
- April 28---Everyone assembled in the Study Hall for a movie.
- April 29---The elementary grades presented a "Tom Thumb Wedding and Minstrel" at the auditorium in the evening.
- May 2---Rehearsal for Baccalaureate.
- May 3---The girls chorus went to the community hall to practice for commencement.
- May 4---Everyone busy with the annual and Echo.
- May 5---Seniors stayed after school and worked on the annual.
- May 6---Mixed chorus practice in the Study Hall.
- May 9---Everyone had a busy week-end preparing things for the prom.
- May 10---The seniors last school days are drawing to the end.
- May 12---Everyone is worried about tomorrow night. We know everyone will enjoy every minute of the evening.
- May 13---The Jr. & Sr. Banquet and Prom was held at the Lost Creek Country Club. The Seniors last day of school.
- May 15---Baccalaureate was held at the Methodist Church.
- May 17---Commencement exercises were held at the auditorium.
- May 20---The last day of school. The last time for report cards.

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